IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

ATTY.'S DOCKET: ABASCAL=1

In re Application of:

Jean ABASCAL

Art Unit: 3768

Appln. No.: 10/590,566

Filed: August 24, 2006

For: ECHOGRAPHIC PROBE WITH

SECTOR SCANNING USING A...

ATTY.'S DOCKET: ABASCAL=1

Confirmation No. 8579

Art Unit: 3768

Examiner: Joel F. Brutus

Washington, D.C.

RESPONSE TO NONFINAL ACTION

Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment Honorable Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Randolph Building, 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, Virginia 22314

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 20, 2010, please find hereafter:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.